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BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application of the City of Arcadia, Trempealeau County,
for Authority to Increase Electric Rates

210-ER-103

NOTICE OF PROCEEDING

THIS IS A PROCEEDING TO consider the application filed on January 2, 2003, by the city of Arcadia, Trempealeau County, (applicant), as an electric public utility, under Wis. Stat. §§ 196.025, 196.03, 196.20, and 196.37, for authority to increase electric rates. The applicant requested an overall revenue increase of approximately 3.08 percent. The Commission will determine the actual level of the rate increase after reviewing the application and holding a hearing. The hearing will be scheduled at a later date. The actual increase to individual customers will vary with electricity usage, class of service, and the ultimate rates authorized by the Commission.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

This is a Class 1 proceeding as defined in Wis. Stat. § 227.01(3)(a).

At present, the only party to this proceeding is the applicant. Anyone else wanting to become a party should file a request, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(2m) and Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.21, no later than 14 days from the date of this notice. A person does not have to be a party in order to testify at the hearing.

The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the provision of programs, services, or employment. Any person with a disability who needs accommodations to participate in this proceeding or who needs to obtain this document in a different format should contact the docket coordinator listed below.

Questions regarding this matter may be directed to docket coordinator James B. Petersen, at (608) 267-2190.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, _____

By the Commission:

Lynda L. Dorr
Secretary to the Commission